

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS**

SOVEREIGN BANCORP, INC., )  
SOVEREIGN BANK, )  
SEACOAST FINACIAL SERVICES )  
CORP.; and COMPASS BANK FOR )  
SAVINGS, )  
Plaintiffs, )  
vs. )  
JOHN H. HARLAND COMPANY, )  
Defendant. )

**NOTICE OF APPEARANCE**

Please enter the appearance of H. Bissell Carey, III, Esq., as additional counsel on behalf of the Plaintiffs, Sovereign Bancorp, Inc. ("Sovereign Bancorp"), Sovereign Bank ("Sovereign"), Seacoast Financial Services Corp. ("Seacoast") and Compass Bank for Savings ("Compass").

Respectfully submitted,

SOVEREIGN BANCORP, INC.;  
SOVEREIGN BANK; SEACOAST  
FINANCIAL SERVICES CORP.; and  
COMPASS BANK FOR SAVINGS.

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